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Serial No. : 09/616,794

Group Art Unit : 3723

Filed : July 14, 2000

Examiner : Willie Wendell Berry, Jr.

Title : APPARATUS FOR IN-SITU OPTICAL ENDPOINTING ON WEB-FORMAT
PLANARIZING MACHINES IN MECHANICAL OR CHEMICAL-MECHANICAL
PLANARIZATION OF MICROELECTRONIC-DEVICE SUBSTRATE ASSEMBLIES
AND METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING SAME

Date Sent : February 11, 2002

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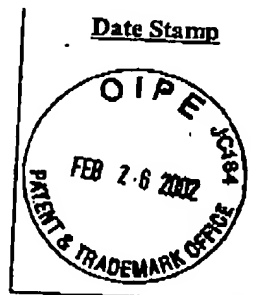
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2/11/02	Docket No.: 500188.02 USAN : 09/616,794 Applicant : Jason B. Elledge title : APPARATUS FOR IN-SITU OPTICAL ENDPOINTING ON WEB-FORMAT PLANARIZING MACHINES IN MECHANICAL OR CHEMICAL-MECHANICAL PLANARIZATION OF MICRO- ELECTRONIC-DEVICE SUBSTRATE ASSEMBLIES AND METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING SAME <u>Fee for Extra Claims in Response to Office Action</u> Total Claims(36/16 extra) \$ 288 Ind. Claims (4/1 extra) 84 TOTAL \$372.00 MWR:sj 446602-909	

FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET (FOR FY 2001)

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
101	740	201	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee	
106	330	206	165	<input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee	
108	740	208	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee	
114	160	214	80	<input type="checkbox"/> Provisional Filing Fee	
Subtotal (1)					\$ 0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Current Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee	Fee Paid
Total 36	-	20	= 16 x \$ 18 =	\$ 288
Ind. 4	-	3	= 1 x \$ 84 =	\$ 84
Multiple Dependent Claims			x \$ =	\$
Subtotal (2)				\$ 372

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent Claim	
108	80	208	40	Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - Late filing fee or oath	\$
115	50	215	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
118	130	218	130	Non-English specification	\$
119	2,520	219	2,520	For Filing a Request for Reexamination	\$
125	300	225	300	Publication (early or Republication)	\$
126	110	226	55	Extension for reply within first month	\$
127	400	227	200	Extension for reply within 2 nd month	\$
128	920	228	460	Extension for reply within 3 rd month	\$
129	1,440	229	720	Extension for reply within 4 th month	\$
130	1,960	230	980	Extension for reply within 5 th month	\$
131	320	231	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
132	280	232	140	Request for oral hearing	\$
133	110	233	55	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	\$
134	110	234	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$
135	1,280	235	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$
136	1,280	236	640	Utility/Reissue issue fee (+ advance copies)	\$
137	460	237	230	Design issue fee (+ advance copies)	\$
138	130	238	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
139	50	239	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	\$
140	180	240	180	Submission of IDS	\$
141	40	241	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$
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